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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT: WORKING GROUP VIII -
INFLUENCE OF ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGES ON CLIMATE

1. REQUEST AMCONSUL LENINGRAD PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO DR. YE. P.
BORISENKOV, SOVIET CO-CHAIRMAN, WORKING GROUP VIII, FROM DR. EDWARD
S. EPSTEIN. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS COPY TO DR. KUVSHINNIKOV OF HYDROMET.

2. QUOTE DEAR DR. BORISENKOV: WE ARE NOW MAKING FINAL ARRANGEMENTS
FOR THE VISIT OF DR. L. A. TIMOKHOV AND DR. V.O. IVCHENKO TO THE
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, SEATTLE, FROM 18 JULY THROUGH 18 OCTOBER
1975. DURING THIS PERIOD, THE WORK OF THE AIDJEX MODELING GROUP AT
SEATTLE WILL BE IN THE CONTINUED DEVELOPMENT OF THE MATHEMATICAL
MODEL TO DESCRIBE THE MOTION OF THE ARCTIC ICEPACK. THIS WORK IS
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DISCUSSED IN DETAIL IN AIDJEX BULLETIN NO. 24 OF MAY 1974. TO DATE,

THE
MODEL HAS BEEN TESTED IN TWO-DIMENSIONAL TIME DEPENDENT FORM.
ALSO, THE FIELD PROGRAM IS CONTINUING TO GATHER SUPPORTING DATA
AS OUTLINED IN THE AIDJEX SCIENTIFIC PLAN. THE PROGRAM AVAILABLE
TO THE VISITING SCIENTISTS WILL EMPHASIZE THESE ASPECTS OF SEA
ICE DYNAMICS MODELING AND UNDERSTANDING THE INTERACTIONS OF
THE ATMOSPHERE WITH WATER AND ICE IN POLAR REGIONS AS THEY AFFECT
CLIMATE.

IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE MAXIMUM BENEFIT FROM THE VISIT, WE WOULD
APPRECIATE LEARNING AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF ANY SPECIAL NEEDS OF
THE VISITING SCIENTISTS DURING THEIR STAY AT SEATTLE. IN PARTICULAR
WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW WHAT TYPE AND AMOUNT OF COMPUTER TIME OR
DATA PROCESSING ARE PLANNED AND IF WORKING CONTACTS WITH SPECIFIC
U.S. SCIENTISTS ARE DESIRED. I AM LOOKING FORWARD TO AN EARLY
REPLY. WITH BEST WISHES. EDWARD S. EPSTEIN UNQUOTE.
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